

OFFICIAL RESPONSES TO VENDOR QUESTIONS RFP-2021-OHE-01-REFUG

No.	Question	Answer
1.	Section 4, Finance How much money does the Department have available to fund awards for the Refugee Social Services Program?	The Department does have funding available for the two fiscal years indicated in Section 1.3 Contract Period of the RFP, It is the intention of the Department to allow vendors to reflect an amount of funding needed that most appropriately supports the sustainability of the services proposed.
2.	Section 4, Finance If those funds come from separate sources, are they interchangeable or can some funds be used only for specific purposes?	The available funds come from one source.
3.	Section 1, Introduction, Subsection 1.1 Purpose and Overview How many awards does the Department expect to make?	The New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services (Department) may award one (1) or more contracts for the services in this RFP, as indicated in Section 1, Introduction, Subsection 1.1 Purpose and Overview.
4.	Section 3, Statement of Work, Subsection 3.3, Scope of Services Does this service exclude undocumented individuals?	For the purposes of the RSS program, the term refugee is used to encompass the following immigration statuses: (1) refugees, (2) asylees, (3) Cuban and Haitian entrants, (4) certain Amerasians from Vietnam, (5) victims of a severe form of trafficking who receive certification or eligibility letters from ORR, (6) certain other specified family members of trafficking victims, (7) Iraqi and Afghan Special Immigrants with Special Immigrant Visas (SIVs). Individuals with the aforementioned immigration statuses are eligible for services under the RSS program. It does exclude undocumented individuals.